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In re Appln. of: **Mitsuhiro Murata**

App. No.: **10/003,661**

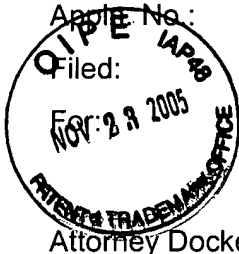
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**RECORDING-MEDIUM REPRODUCTION
METHOD AND RECORDING-MEDIUM
REPRODUCTION APPARATUS**

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TRANSMITTAL

Sir:

Attached are:

- ☒ **Transmittal Letter (in duplicate); Preliminary Amendment; First Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement; PTO 1449; Copy of European Search Report; Copies of foreign cited references (JP 10126743 and EP 0 847 195) and**
- ☒ **Return Receipt Postcard**

Fee calculation:

- ☒ **No additional fee is required.**
- ☐ **Small Entity.**
- ☐ **Recordal of Assignment fee in an amount of \$_____.**
- ☐ **The filing fee (\$____), declaration surcharge (\$____), search fee (\$____), examination fee (\$____) and claim fee (\$____).**
- ☐ **An additional filing fee has been calculated as shown below:**

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- ☐ **A check in the amount of \$_____ is enclosed.**
- ☐ **Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 in the amount of \$_____ . A copy of this Transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.**
- ☐ **Payment by credit card in the amount of \$_____ (Form PTO-2038 is attached).**
- ☒ **The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this paper (including any extension fee required to ensure that this paper is timely filed), or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.**

Respectfully submitted,

November 21, 2005
Date

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